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Congress propaganda Work at Kanhanhalli.

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Office of the District Magistrate,
Bangalore District,
Bangalore, dated, 26th April 1925.

Dear Sir,

I beg to submit herewith for your kind information a copy of Kankanhalli Taluk Amildar's D.O. letter dated 24th April 1925 bringing to notice that a few young men of Kankanhalli with the help of local men and one or two officers of the place and aided by some Congress members from Bangalore have started Congress propaganda work at Kankanhalli, by holding drill, convening meetings and preaching congress resolutions to the people.

I have approved of the Amildar's action in stopping these activities right in front of the Taluk Office. I have also asked him to advise the local Sub Assistant Surgeon and Forest Range Officer not to mix themselves up in doubtful activities of this description.

Yours sincerely,

B. Sankaranarayana Rao

To

B. Ramaswamaiya, Esqr., B.A., B.L.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

Confidential D.O. letter dated 24th April 1925 from the Amildar, Kankanhally Taluk, to the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.

I beg to bring to your kind notice that a few young men of Kankanhalli with the help of local men and one or two officers of the place and aided by some Congress members from Bangalore have started Congress propaganda work at Kankanhalli, since the last few days. They are holding drill in the mornings and convening meetings and preach congress resolutions to the people. They are enlisting and training volunteers and getting members to join the congress Committee which they have formed locally. They are hoisting the National flag and offering homage thereto. Their attempts to hoist the flag in front and near the Taluk Cutcherry have been stopped after proper advise by me. Yesterday one Mr. Shamanna an advocate from Bangalore came here and delivered a lecture near the Reading Room in pursuance of the Congress Resolutions and the Congress work etc. About 50 persons including the local Sub Assistant Surgeon, Forest Range Officer and others seem to have attended the lecture. I understand that, so far, nothing anti-British has been spoken or done. The Committee's activities are being watched by me and by the Police Inspector.

"C o p y"

District Magistrate, Bangalore Dist.